

AO 240 (Rev. 6/86) Application to Proceed

# 1: CV 00-1449

## United States District Court

MIDDLE

DISTRICT OF

PENNSYLVANIA

M. ASH-SHARIEF AL'ASKARI,  
Plaintiff,

v.

KATHLEEN HAWKES, Director, U.S.  
U.S. Bureau of Prisons, et al.,  
Defendants,

APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN  
FORMA PAUPERIS, SUPPORTING  
DOCUMENTATION AND ORDER

CASE NUMBER

CORANTON

WILLIAMSPORT, PA

AUG 14 2000

JUL 20 2000

MARY E. D'ANDREA, CLERK  
Deputy Clerk

I, M. Ash-Sharief Al'Askari

declare that I am the (check appropriate box)

☐ petitioner/plaintiff☐ movant (filing 28 U.S.C. 2255 motion)☐ respondent/defendant☒ Civil Rights Complaint

other

in the above-entitled proceeding; that, in support of my request to proceed without being required to prepay fees, cost or give security therefor, I state that because of my poverty, I am unable to pay the costs of said proceeding or give security therefor; that I believe I am entitled to relief. The nature of my action, defense, or other proceeding or the issues I intend to present on appeal are briefly stated as follows:

In further support of this application, I answer the following questions.

1. Are you presently employed?

Yes ☐ No ☒

a. If the answer is "yes," state the amount of your salary or wages per month, and give the name and address of your employer. (list both gross and net salary)

b. If the answer is "no," state the date of last employment and the amount of the salary and wages per month which you received.

2. Have you received within the past twelve months any money from any of the following sources?

a. Business, profession or other form of self-employment

Yes ☐ No ☒

b. Rent payments, interest or dividends?

Yes ☐ No ☒

c. Pensions, annuities or life insurance payments?

Yes ☐ No ☒

d. Gifts or inheritances?

Yes ☐ No ☒

e. Any other sources?

Yes ☐ No ☒

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A F F I D A V I T

I, Michelle Mertz, hereby state:

(1) I am employed as a Legal Assistant at the Federal Correctional Complex, (FCC), Allenwood, Pennsylvania. I have served in that capacity since May 1998.

(2) The petitioner, Muhammad Askari, Reg. No. 34819-066, is presently incarcerated at the Federal Correctional Institution, Allenwood, Pennsylvania, (FCI Allenwood).

(3) The following is a synopsis of the financial transactions in the inmate commissary account maintained by inmate Askari at FCI Allenwood during the past six months.

a. Prison account

1. Present Balance	\$ .51
2. Total Amount of Deposits During Past Six Months	\$617.99
3. Average Monthly Balance	\$ 29.46
4. Average Monthly Deposits	\$103.00

b. Employment (average monthly wage): \$ 15.50

(4) I have attached a true and correct copy of the record of the transactions of the prisoner's account which occurred within the preceding six months.

(5) The above information set forth in this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

*Michelle Mertz*  
Michelle Mertz  
Legal Assistant

August 8, 2000

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


The undersigned hereby certifies that she is an employee of the United States Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Prisons, and is a person of such age and discretion as to be competent to serve papers.

That on August 8, 2000, she served copies of the attached:

PRISON TRUST ACCOUNT FOR INMATE MUHAMMAD ASKARI, REG. NO. 34819-066

by delivering the documents in an envelope address to the persons hereinafter named, at the place and address stated below.

ADDRESSEE: Inmate Muhammad Askari  
Reg. No. 34819-066  
FCI Allenwood  
P. O Box 2000  
White Deer, PA 17887

  
Michelle Mertz  
Legal Assistant

August 8, 2000

ACCOUNT  
STATEMENT

PCI ALLENWOOD\*LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
P. O. BOX 2809  
WHITE OAK, PA 17887  
717-547-7950

DATE 08/02/00  
PAGE No.01

Account # 34819066

ASKARI, MUHAMMAD NMI

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BEGINNING	AVAILABLE	ENCUMBRANCE	OUTSTANDING	SPECIAL	ACCOUNT
BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE
.23	.00	.00	.00	.00	.23
INVOICE TIME	DATE	TRANSACTION DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT		
DECOOP 12:07	01-06-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	20.64		20.87
000087 17:37	01-12-00	SALE / REGULAR	20.75-		.12
JAN00P 8:13	02-03-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	14.96		15.08
000051 17:09	02-09-00	SALE / REGULAR	13.50-		1.58
FEB00P 10:06	03-06-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	16.15		17.73
000094 18:31	03-08-00	SALE / REGULAR	12.45-		5.28
000002 10:27	03-15-00	SALE / REGULAR	2.00-		3.28
08B011 18:09	03-18-00	DEPOSIT ITS FUNDS	3.00-		.28
MAR00P 8:46	04-04-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	15.98		16.26
000055 17:50	04-06-00	SALE / REGULAR	15.90-		.36
000057 17:52	04-06-00	SALE / REGULAR	.80		1.16
T12615 13:10	04-28-00	MONEY ORDER	300.00		301.16
08EC50 22:09	04-29-00	DEPOSIT ITS FUNDS	10.00-		291.16
000017 10:47	05-03-00	SALE / REGULAR	31.80-		259.36
000018 10:50	05-03-00	SALE / REGULAR	8.75-		250.61
T12928 14:08	05-04-00	MONEY ORDER	200.00		450.61
000054 17:48	05-04-00	SALE / REGULAR	170.95-		279.66
APR00P 6:49	05-05-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	16.83		296.49
P-3412 11:55	05-11-00	COMMISSARY FORM	50.00-		246.49
P-3413 11:55	05-11-00	COMMISSARY FORM	50.00-		196.49
P-3414 11:56	05-11-00	COMMISSARY FORM	50.00-		146.49
000071 18:15	05-11-00	SALE / REGULAR	54.90-		91.59
000055 17:28	05-18-00	SALE / REGULAR	32.00-		59.59
000037 17:08	05-25-00	SALE / REGULAR	36.45-		23.14
P-3537 12:05	06-01-00	COMMISSARY FORM	.50-		22.64
000064 18:10	06-01-00	SALE / REGULAR	22.20-		.44
MAY00P 11:49	06-07-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	14.79		15.23
000072 18:44	06-08-00	SALE / REGULAR	13.25-		1.98
JUN00P 8:43	07-05-00	PERFORMANCE PAY	14.28		16.28
000056 18:10	07-10-00	SALE / REGULAR	15.70-		.56
T17519 13:37	07-31-00	MONEY ORDER	25.00		25.56
000049 17:46	07-31-00	SALE / REGULAR	25.05-		.51

\*\*\* TRANSACTION TOTAL \*\*\* .28

ENDING	AVAILABLE	ENCUMBRANCE	OUTSTANDING	SPECIAL	ACCOUNT
BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE	BALANCE
.51	.00	.00	.00	.00	.51